

Selected New Books at the Maine State Library for August 2004

Ahrons, Constance R. *We're still family: what grown children have to say about their parents' divorce.*

Alexander, Paul. *The candidate: behind John Kerry's remarkable run for the White House.*

Ball, Philip. *Critical mass: how one thing leads to another.*

Becker, Suzy. *I had brain surgery, what's your excuse? : an illustrated memoir.*

Beilin, Yossi. *The path to Geneva: the quest for a permanent agreement, 1996 – 2004.*

Blyth, Myrna. *Spin sisters: how the women of the media sell unhappiness – and liberalism -- to the women of America.*

Brodsky, Alyn. *Benjamin Rush: patriot and physician.*

Brooks, David. *On paradise drive: how we live now (and always have) in the future tense.*

Brown, Mick. *The dance of 17 lives: the incredible true story of Tibet's 17th Karmapa.*

Byrd, Robert C. *Losing America: confronting a reckless and arrogant presidency.*

Carroll, David M. *Self-portrait with turtles: a memoir.*

Cavuto, Neil. *More than money: true stories of people who learned life's ultimate lesson.*

Clark, Ron. *The excellent 11: qualities teachers and parents use to motivate, inspire and educate children.*

Collins, Scott. *Crazy like a fox: the inside story of how Fox News beat CNN.*

Cornog, Evan. *The power and the story: how the crafted presidential narrative had determined political success from George Washington to George W. Bush.*

Cose, Ellis. *Bone to pick: of forgiveness, reconciliation, reparation, and revenge.*

D'Adesky, Anne-Christine. *Moving mountains: the race to treat global AIDS.*

Dash, Samuel. *The intruders: unreasonable searches and seizures from King John to John Ashcroft.*

Davis, Stephen. *Jim Morrison: life, death, legend.*

Delano, Sterling F. *Brook Farm: the dark side of utopia.*

Demarais, Ann. *First impressions: what you don't know about how others see you.*

De Marneffe, Daphne. *Maternal desire: on children, love, and the inner life.*

DeVita, Elizabeth. *The empty room: surviving the loss of a brother or sister at any age.*

Dubois, Laurent. *Avengers of the New World: the story of the Haitian Revolution.*

Duffy, James P. *Target America: Hitler's plan to attack the United States.*

Emsley, John. *Vanity, vitality, and virility: the science behind the products you love to buy.*

Engel, Richard. *A fist in the hornet's nest: on the ground in Baghdad before, during and after the war.*

Feinberg, Barbara. *Welcome to Lizard Motel: children, stories, and the mystery of making things up: a memoir.*

Fels, Anna. *Necessary dreams: ambition in women's changing lives.*

Fox, Richard Wightman. *Jesus in America: personal savior, cultural hero, national obsession.*

Frank, Thomas. *What's the matter with Kansas? : how conservatives won the heart of America.*

Frankel, Alex. *Wordcraft: the art of turning little words into big business.*

Franks, Tommy. *American soldier.*

Friedman, Walter A. *Birth of a salesman: the transformation of selling America.*

Gass, Thomas. *Nobody's home: candid reflections of a nursing home aide.*

(No author). *The gathering biological warfare storm.*

Gelbspan, Ross. *Boiling point: how politicians, big oil and coal, journalists and activists are fueling the climate crisis -- and what we can do to avert disaster.*

Gerber, Rudolph Joseph. *Legalizing marijuana: drug policy reform and prohibition politics.*

Gonnerman, Jennifer. *Life on the outside: the prison odyssey of Elaine Bartlett.*

Gonzalez-Crussi, F. *On being born and other difficulties.*

Goozner, Merrill. *The \$800 million pill: the truth behind the cost of new drugs.*

Graves, Joseph L. *The race myth: why we pretend race exists in America.*

Greeley, Andrew M. *The Catholic revolution: new wine, old wineskins, and the second Vatican Council.*

Gurney, Alan. *Compass: a story of exploration and innovation.*

Healy, David. *Let them eat Prozac: the unhealthy relationship between the pharmaceutical industry and depression.*

Hicks, Brian. *Ghost ship: the mysterious true story of the Mary Celeste and her missing crew.*

Holt, Michael F. *The fate of their country: politicians, slavery extension, and the coming of the Civil War.*

Honore, Carl. *In praise of slowness: how a worldwide movement is challenging the cult of speed.*

Ivins, Molly. *Who let the dogs in? : incredible political animals I have known.*

Jager, Ronald. *The fate of family farming: variations on an American idea.*

Johnson, Ian. *Wild grass: three stories of change in modern China.*

Jones, Tobias. *The dark heart of Italy.*

Keegan, John. *The Iraq war.*

Keillor, Garrison. *Homegrown democrat: a few plain thoughts from the heart of America.*

Kennedy, Robert Francis. *Crimes against nature: how George W. Bush and his corporate pals are plundering the country and hijacking our democracy.*

Khalidi, Rashid. *Resurrecting Empire: western footprints and America's perilous path in the Middle East.*

Kirsch, Jonathan. *God against the gods: the history of the war between monotheism and polytheism.*

Kurson, Robert. *Shadow divers: the true adventure of two Americans who risked everything to solve one of the last mysteries of World War II.*

Lapham, Lewis H. *Gag rule: on the suppression of dissent and the stifling of democracy.*

McGrath, Alister E. *The twilight of atheism: the rise and fall of disbelief in the modern world.*

McFarland, Philip James. *Hawthorne in Concord.*

Marmot, M.G. *The status syndrome: how social standing affects our health and longevity.*

Medvedev, Roy A. *The unknown Stalin: his life, death and legacy.*

Messer, Sarah. *Red house: being a mostly accurate account of New England's oldest continuously lived-in house.*

Mills, Nicolaus. *Their last battle: the fight for the national World War II memorial.*

Miner, Brad. *The compleat gentleman: the modern man's guide to chivalry.*

(No author). *The miseducation of the West: how schools and the media distort our understanding of the Islamic world.*

Morrison, Helen. *My life among the serial killers: inside the minds of the world's most notorious murderers.*

Nagami, Pamela. *Bitten: true medical stories of bites and stings.*

Naistadt, Ivy. *Speak without fear: a total system for becoming a natural, confident communicator.*

Neal, Steve. *Happy days are here again: the 1932 Democratic convention, the emergence of FDR -- and how America was changed forever.*

Newport, Frank. *Polling matters: why leaders must listen to the wisdom of the people.*

Orent, Wendy. *Plague: the mysterious past and terrifying future of the world's most dangerous disease.*

O'Rourke, P.J. *Peace kills.*

Page, Jake. *The big one: the earthquake that rocked early America and helped create a science.*

Pottker, Janice. *Sara and Eleanor: the story of Sara Delano Roosevelt and her daughter-in-law, Eleanor Roosevelt.*

Press, Bill. *Bush must go: the top ten reasons why George Bush doesn't deserve a second term.*

Prince-Hughes, Dawn. *Songs of the gorilla nation: my journey through autism.*

Rediker, Marcus. *Buford Villains of all nations: Atlantic pirates in the golden age.*

Reed, Cheryl L. *Unveiled: the hidden lives of nuns.*

Rolheiser, Ronald. *The restless heart: finding our spiritual home.*

Safire, William. *The right word in the right place at the right time: wit and wisdom from the popular "On language" column in the New York Times Magazine.*

Scarf, Maggie. *Secrets, lies, betrayals: how the body holds the secrets of a life and how to unlock them.*

Shaw, David W. *Sea wolf of the Confederacy: the daring Civil War raids of naval Lt. Charles W. Read.*

Simon, Linda. *Dark light: electricity and anxiety from the telegraph to the X-ray.*

Singer, Mark. *Somewhere in America: under the radar with chicken warriors, left-wing patriots, angry nudists, and others.*

Singer, Peter. *The president of good & evil: the ethics of George W. Bush.*

Sojourner, Mary. *Solace: rituals of loss and desire.*

Souder, William. *Under a wild sky: John James Audubon and the making of the Birds of America.*

Sounes, Howard. *The wicked game: Arnold Palmer, Jack Nicklaus, Tiger Woods, and the story of modern golf.*

Sparks, Randy J. *The two princes of Calabar: an eighteenth-century Atlantic odyssey.*

Surowiecki, James. *The wisdom of crowds: why the many are smarter than the few and how collective wisdom shapes business, economies, societies and nations.*

Ward, Martha. *Voodoo queen: the spirited lives of Marie Laveau.*

Waterfield, Robin. *Athens: a history, from ancient ideals to modern city.*

Weiner, Jonathan. *His brother's keeper: a story from the edge of medicine.*

Weiss, Philip. *American taboo: a murder in the Peace Corps.*

Wheatcroft, Andrew. *Infidels: a history of the conflict between Christendom and Islam.*

Williams, Juan. *My soul looks back in wonder: voices of the civil rights movement.*

Wilson, A.N. *London: a history.*

Wolfson, Evan. *Why marriage matters: America, equality, and gay people's right to marry.*

Yalom, Marilyn. *Birth of the chess queen: a history.*